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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
BANKRUPTCY DIVISION

MOHAMMAD KAMAL HOSSAIN,

Civil Action No. 08-0016

Plaintiff,

v.

DECLARATION OF COUNSEL

COMMONWEALTH OF THE
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Counsel for Plaintiff states as follows:

1. Micronesian Legal Services Corporation (“MLSC”) accepted Plaintiff’s application for assistance regarding his immigration matter. Our representation was limited to the present action, in which a final judgment had been entered and no motions are pending.
2. We have not accepted to provide further assistance to Plaintiff, such as representation on appeal.¹

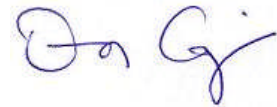
¹ Furthermore, the Legal Services Corporation requires its grant recipients, such as MLSC, to treat an appeal as a new matter subject to new client eligibility determinations and appropriate screenings.

- 1 3. We notified Plaintiff of the completion of our assistance on October 23, 2008, provided him our
2 closing opinion of the matter, and advised him on general procedural issues as well as on the
3 option of seeking other counsel if he wished to appeal.
- 4 4. Our assistance having been concluded, we obtained Plaintiff's consent to withdraw from this
5 case.
- 6 5. I believe the closure of my assistance was timely and did not have a material adverse affect on
7 the interests of Plaintiff.

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9 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing, including any attachment, is true and
10 correct.
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12 MICRONESIAN LEGAL SERVICES CORP.

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14 Dated: November 21, 2008



15 By Omar P. Calimbas
16 MLSC Staff Attorney
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